NOTICE OF EMERGENCY RULE PROMULGATION

AGENCY: Department of Marine Resources

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 12 M.R.S.A. Sections 6172 and 6192

RULE PROMULGATION: DMR Regulation 95.06 K, Closed Area No. 25-E, Inner Heron

Island, South Bristol:

TEXT OF RULE: DMR Regulation 95.06 K, Closed Area No. 25-E, Inner Heron Island, South Bristol

1. Effective immediately, because of pollution, it shall be unlawful to dig, take or possess any clams, quahogs, oysters or mussels taken from the shores, flats and waters of Inner Heron Island, in the town of South Bristol, Lincoln County, inside (landward) of a line beginning at the southern most point on Inner Heron and extending northerly following the eastern side of the island to the most northern end, then extending southerly following the western side of the island to the most southern point.

Violation of any provision of this regulation shall be a Class D Crime (12 M.R.S.A. Section 6204).

EFFECTIVE DATE: December 29, 1999

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TIMES RECORD January 3, 2000

STATEMENT OF FACT AND POLICY

The Commissioner of the Maine Department of Marine Resources promulgates the emergency DMR Regulation 95.06 K, Closed Area No. 25-E, Inner Heron Island, South Bristol.

The Commissioner takes this action as an administrative promulgation in order to update these rules. There are no substantive changes being made to these closure lines at this time.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER

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Legal Notice of Shellfish Closure Area

C 25-E, Inner Heron Island, South Bristol

